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HERSHFIELD ADDN.

Situated on Montana Avenue, Just North of Flower Garden Addition.

HARRIS ONE PRICE CLOTHIER

A Helena House that carries as large a Clothing Stock as any house west of Chicago.

That handles the productions of the very finest manufacturers of the country.

That marks all goods in plain figures, and the only house in the city that is

STRICTLY ONE PRICE.



MILLER
Agricultural Implements and Mining Machinery.
Just received, a complete new stock of

DEERE PLOWS AND HARROWS, Superior Drills and Broadcast Seeders, STROWBRIDGE BROADCAST SOWERS, Schuttler Quartz Wagon Gear and Farm Wagons, THE RUSHFORD TUBULAR AXLE AND STEEL SKEIN WAGONS, ALL SIZES.

"You pays your money and you takes your choice."

There are hats and then again there are HATS--and many hats that wear well--and there are hats that wear well and look well. The only hat we know that combines durability and elegance is the "Miller."

Have you ever had one? Then don't wait a minute, but go and get one while the stock is large because if you wait you are liable to come up "wanting." We are sole agents for those celebrated manufacturers, "Dickerson & Brown," whose productions for the last twenty years have been considered "an fait" by those who are supposed to be the "Arbiters of Fashion."

Don't fail to get a Miller Hat. Then again we are well fixed in Spring Wear. Did you examine our line of clothing, Nobby Suits, Stylish Outfits and Slaty Prince Altways (there's going to be lots of the latter worn this year.)

One of the greatest attractions ever seen in a clothing house is a stylish blue sack suit, low rolled collar, silk faced. We are the only house in Montana that shows this style very hand some. Only, \$25.

Another attraction is a Spring Overcoat, silk lined which together with the sleeve linings are the same as the goods, very stylish, made by Benjamin (not Harris), of New York. We defy a tailor to match it for \$60. You can have it for half the money. We have them at all prices as low as \$7.50.

It makes our head ache when we look at our stock. It is too large. Just think so many goods in such a small room as ours.

We have to get rid of some of these quicker than the usual course of trade so we have put the knife into a number of lots and the very life blood of profits flow from our sales. Just think, a nice Nobby suit any of four different styles all wool and only a ten dollar bill puts one of them on your back.

200 doz. ties just arrived--100 doz. from Wilson Bros. of Chicago--you know them--and 100 doz. from Howell of Philadelphia, strangers to this trade, but dandy tie makers. Come and look at the goods they make and if you don't buy a tie or two you can take.

HARRIS, ONE-PRICE CLOTHIER

St. Louis Block, Main St., HELENA, M. T.

N. B.--Out of town orders will receive our best attention. Goods sent on approval to any part of the territory. Price list and rules for self-measurement.

Gray Bros. Shoes.
They excel any shoe in the market for STYLE and DURABILITY. Also the large line of Gents Shoes in the city, including HANSEN & SON and LILLY, BLACKBURN & CO. MAKERS.

RALEIGH & CLARKE, No. 25 Upper Main St.
STOCKSORS TO F. R. OAGE & CO.

THE FUN IS OVER.

The Centennial Festivities at New York Concluded with a Most Strous Parade.

Every Nationality Represented as Well as the Trades and Other Business Interests.

Many Floral Commemorative Events in the Early Days--Scenes and Incidents of the Day.

NEW YORK, May 1.--The third day of the great Washington centennial celebration broke clear and cool. The chief and most notable feature of the day was the great civic and industrial parade, which started shortly after 10 o'clock and proceeded in the direction of the city hall, where it was to be reviewed by the mayor and the city council.

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THE CRUSH AND THE CROWD.

Much Confusion and Excitement When the Parade was Finished.

NEW YORK, May 1.--The scene of the dismissal of the parade at Canal street today was one of the wildest confusion, and at one time it looked as if a panic might break out. When the head of the parade arrived the excitement began. Gen. Butler's staff were mounted on spirited horses and many of them did not know how to ride. The animals became restless and plunged around violently. The crush of the crowd was simply terrible. The police had their hands full. Considerable confusion also resulted from the failure of the aides to obey the orders of the chief marshal, and the band in some cases wandered off to play in the park.

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STOCKRAISERS ORGANIZE.

A Meeting at Chicago to Perfect the American Live Stock Commission Co.

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NAME THEIR MEN.

Both Parties Nominate Candidates for Members of the Constitutional Convention.

Good and True Men Selected by the Democracy in a Number of Districts.

Republican Nominees at Great Falls, Which Assume a Democratic Victory--Eaton and Joy.

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WANT A SUBSIDY.

Southern Manufacturers Anxious for Government Aid.

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MANITOBA PLANS.

A Combination With the Canadian Pacific Caused by Recent Northern Pacific Extensions.

Annual Statement of the Business of the Mexican Central Showing a Most Gratifying Increase.

The Lake Shore Meeting--The Baltimore and Ohio's Good Contract With Swift and Armour, the Packers.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 1.--The Canadian Pacific and St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba is about forming a strong combination. The annual report for 1888 shows gross earnings, \$5,744,000; net earnings, \$2,000,000; increase, \$700,000; net earnings in United States currency, \$1,748,000; increase, \$69,000; subsidy, \$441,000; interest on bonds, \$250,000; surplus, \$228,000. (There was a deficit of \$10,000 in the year ending March 31, 1888.)

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